

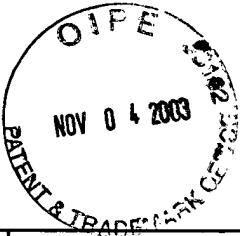
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09/430,267	10/29/1999	JANAKIRAMAN SENTHILNATHAN	99.360	7015

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SELECTION OF AN ENDPOINT DEVICE IN A POINT TO POINT LINK

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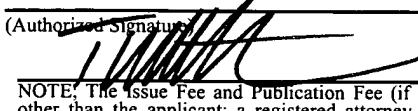
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(Case No. 99,360)

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Serial No.: 09/430,267)
Filed: October 29, 1999)
For: Method and Apparatus for Selection)
Of an Endpoint Device in a Point to)
Point Link)
Art Unit: 2661
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